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Gentlemen:

[redacted] pleased to submit a proposal for the development of a Variable Anamorphic Eye-piece. Three copies of a brief technical proposal are enclosed for your review.

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The system proposed is compatible with the known performance and configuration requirements. In order to verify the concept the optical system has been breadboarded. The preliminary results of tests made to date are most encouraging. This breadboard will be retained in its present configuration for your inspection if desired.

At the present time we are attempting to obtain firm quotations on some of the optical elements. These should be available within one week. For budget purposes the total engineering task, fabrication of one matched set, and the necessary testing will cost approximately [redacted] We will forward a firm quotation and the necessary support data as quickly as possible.

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Our quotation is predicated on the award of a CPFF type contract with applicable terms and conditions to be the subject of future negotiations. Delivery is now estimated at three months from date of contract award. A firm delivery cannot be stated however, until we receive a commitment from our vendor.

During the preparation of our proposal several alternate approaches were investigated. One in particular appears of interest in that the configuration is somewhat smaller than the prime system. The cost of this approach is significantly higher however. If configuration is of prime importance, we would be pleased to discuss this approach in more detail.

If we can be of any further assistance do not hesitate to contact me and I will be pleased to answer your request in an expeditious manner.

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